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Principal Frank G. Edwards said the 70-member group was told not to discuss the book as a club, because "In a group of seventh, eighth and ninth graders, some are not mature enough to understand such a discussion."

The school's student council three weeks ago passed a resolution by a 28-3 vote, criticizing the official attitude.

A week later, a rewritten version of the resolution was defeated, 19-12, after the faculty sponsor argued strongly against it.

One boy said the fight has been dropped because "the issue became too hot, and Mao isn't exactly one of my heroes anyway."



STAR CUP WINNER

John C. McComb (left), a Central Intelligence Agency employe and secretary of the Arlington Civic Federation, holds The Star Cup given him last night for "outstanding public service" in the county. With him are his wife, his daughter, Margaret, 18, and his son, David, 15.

School Centers on Capitol Hill

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munity. Teacher training and program coordination and evaluation would be the responsibilities of the center.

The four quadrants into which the community would be divided would each include two or three schools devoted to the prekindergarten through third grade classes, along with a center for the fourth through eighth grades. Ninth graders would attend Eastern High School.

"We do not condemn the educational program as worthless; but we do contend that it is not succeeding with the children of our community," the group's proposal stated.

The group decided at a meeting last night to submit the plan to the school board, hopefully within 60 days.

DRILLS AND MUSIC

Great Tattoo Rings Over Mall Tonight

Four military music units, parading and playing with split-second precision, will make a Great Tattoo ring over the Mall tonight.

For an hour beginning at 8 p.m. the groups will run through a tight schedule of fancy drilling punctuated with music as varied as The Black Bear Hornpipe and The Stars and Stripes Forever.

Marching and counter-marching on the field near the Mu-

seum of Natural History will be the United States Army Third Infantry (Old Guard) Fife and Drum Corps, the United States Marine Band, the United States Air Force Pipe Band and the Colonial Williamsburg Fifes and Drums.

Adding to the color will be the spotlights and torches illuminating the after-dark program. It will begin with the U.S. Army (Old Guard) Buglers playing the